

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA
SHREVEPORT DIVISION**

JOSEPH NEWSOM:

CIVIL ACTION NO. 5:22-cv-04714

VERSUS

JUDGE S. MAURICE HICKS, JR.

**STATE FARM FIRE &
CASUALTY CO, ET AL**

MAGISTRATE JUDGE KAY

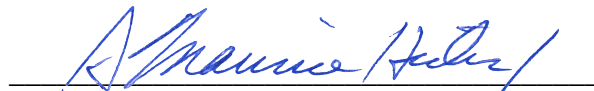
JUDGMENT

For the reasons contained in the Report and Recommendation of the Magistrate Judge previously filed herein [doc. 20], after an independent review of the record, noting the absence of objections thereto, and concurring with the Magistrate Judge's findings under applicable law; it is

ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED that the Report and Recommendation [doc. 20] is **ADOPTED** and that this matter is **DISMISSED WITHOUT PREJUDICE**.

This civil action may be reinstated within 30 days for good cause shown, per W.D. La. Loc. Civ. R. 41.3. Any such showing to be made in writing and filed into the record of this matter.

THUS DONE AND SIGNED in Shreveport, Louisiana, this 29th day of September 2023.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "S. Maurice Hicks, Jr.", is written over a horizontal line.

JUDGE S. MAURICE HICKS, JR.
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT JUDGE